

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA



Application for Mediators

Please complete the entire application, using additional paper if necessary. You may also attach a resume.

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ADMISSIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Date admitted to the Bar of the District of South Carolina: 12/12/74 I.D. No.: 3298

Date admitted to the South Carolina Bar: September 1, 1971 Bar No.: 3643

Other courts or jurisdictions to which admitted (with dates of admission and bar nos.): United States
Court of Appeal 4th Circuit 1974 United States Supreme Court 1994

Membership and positions held in bar, ADR and professional associations: SC Council for Conflict
Resolution/ Chairman of Chicora ADA Council / SC Bar Association

Are you a member in good standing in each jurisdiction where admitted to practice law? ☒ yes ☐ no

Are you currently the subject of any pending disciplinary proceeding in any jurisdiction? ☐ yes ☒ no

Have you, within the last 5 years, been denied admission to a bar for character or ethical reasons or disciplined for professional misconduct? ☐ yes ☒ no

EDUCATION

Year law degree received: 1971 Law School: University of South Carolina

Other professional degrees received (including year and school): William Carey College
Bachelor of Arts 1968

LEGAL EXPERIENCE (A minimum of 5 years of law practice required)

Summarize legal experience (including teaching) since admission to the bar, particularly in the past five years:

-1971-1977 general Practice of Law -July 1977-1991 State Family Court Judge

- From approximately 1979-1987 presided over numerous terms of Circuit Court
non jury by special order of the Chief Justice

-July 1991- July 1998 Circuit Court Judge

LEGAL EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

Percentage of practice in last 5 years representing: plaintiff _____ % or defense _____ %
- I retired from Circuit Court in July 1997 - Dept. Head at Horry/
Percentage of Federal or State court practice in last 5 years: Federal _____ % State _____ % Georgetown Technical
College in Jan. 1999
Number of years engaged in active litigation: _____
- Returned to the private practice of law with my son Robert, at the Maring Law Firm, P.A.,
EXPERTISE on October 18, 1999.

Indicate all substantive areas in which you have expertise. Place a "1" by your strongest area(s) and a "2" by all other areas in which you have expertise. (Do not rank beyond "1" and "2.") After any category you have marked, please identify any sub-areas of expertise you have (e.g. "medical malpractice" after personal injury).

___ Admiralty	___ Security or Shareholders suits
___ Antitrust	___ Labor
<u>1</u> ___ Contracts	___ ERISA
___ Environment	<u>1</u> ___ Wrongful Termination
___ Fraud or Civil RICO	___ Civil Rights in Employment
___ Insurance	___ Other Civil Rights
___ Miller Act	___ Copyrights
<u>1</u> ___ Personal Injury	___ Patent
<u>1</u> ___ Product Liability	___ Trademark
<u>1</u> ___ Other (specify) Medical MalPractice	

Publications: Lectured at approximately twenty legal seminars. Most, if not all,
required written material by the speaker.

MEDIATION EXPERIENCE

Mediation experience (particularly in the subject matter categories above): As Chief Administrative
Circuit Judge, I was in charge of numerous terms of settlement weeks in the
Fifteenth Circuit. These mediation settlement terms were conducted by special
order of the Chief Justice.

Other courts or organizations for whom you serve as a mediator: Certified for Civil Mediation
in Circuit Court

Number of mediations conducted: _____

MEDIATION TRAINING

Course Provider	Course Content	Date	Place	No. of Hours
National Judicial College	Mediation	1995	Campus of the University of Nevada	40
SC Council for Conflict Resolution	Mediation	1999	Folly Beach	40

OTHER INFORMATION

Are you familiar with the statutes, rules and practice governing mediation conferences in the District of South Carolina? X yes no

Other relevant experience or skills or other information you would like considered in connection with this application:

Cities in which you are available to conduct mediation:

 Columbia X Charleston Greenville Florence

Other _____

Fees charged:

Hourly Rate: \$ 150.00 Minimum charge each mediation: \$ 300.00

How do you bill for travel? (explain): \$150.00 per hour

I agree to: (1) Be subject to the Rules of Professional Conduct, Rule 407, South Carolina Appellate Court Rules; to the Rules on Disciplinary Procedure, Rule 413, South Carolina Appellate Court Rules; and the Local Rules of the District Court; (2) Provide mediation to indigents without pay if ordered by the Court; (3) Notify the Clerk of Court of any change in the above facts or otherwise in my ability to perform duties as a mediator; (4) Disclosure of information contained in this application to litigants and other members of the public.

I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature

[Signature]
Applicant

Date

Dec 13/1999

Return completed application to:

U.S. District Court
Mediation
1845 Assembly Street
Columbia, SC 29201-2471

[Signature]

2/17/2000